



Docket No.: 990.1119CON

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)

Declaration submitted with initial filing
 Declaration submitted after initial filing (surcharge (37 CFR 1.6(e) required))

First Named Inventor: Mika VILJANMAA

COMPLETE IF KNOWN:

Application Number: 09/303,587

Filing Date: May 3, 1999

Group Art Unit: _____

Examiner Name: _____

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR COMPUTING AND REGULATING THE DISTRIBUTION OF A LINEAR LOAD IN A MULTI-NIP CALENDAR AND A MULTI-NIP CALENDAR (Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

is attached hereto

OR

was filed on May 3, 1999 as United States Application Serial Number 09/303,587.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability of this application as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached? Yes No	

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number	Filing Date (MM/DD/YY)
60/045,871	May 7, 1997

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120 of any United States application(s), or 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

U.S. Parent Application or PCT Parent Number	Parent Filing Date (MM/DD/YY)	Parent Patent Number (if applicable)
09/156,232	September 18, 1998	
09/074,723	May 7, 1998	

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following registered practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

Customer Number 21831

Direct all correspondence to:

Customer Number 21831

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

NAME OF SOLE INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle)

Family Name or Surname

Mika

VILJANMAA

Inventor's Signature 

Date August 13, 1999

Residence: City FIN-02110 Espoo Country Finland Citizenship Finland

Post Office Address Otsolahdentie 18 A 6, FIN-02110 Espoo, Finland

NAME OF SIXTH JOINT INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle) Family Name or Surname

Erkki LEINONEN

Inventor's Signature Erkki Leinonen Date August 13, 1999

NAME OF SECOND JOINT INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle) Family Name or Surname

Pekka LINNONMAA

Inventor's Signature Pekka Linnonmaa Date August 16, 1999

Residence: City FIN-04400 Järvenpää Country Finland Citizenship Finland

Post Office Address Sipoontie 6 as 3, FIN-04400 Järvenpää, Finland

NAME OF THIRD JOINT INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle) Family Name or Surname

Ilkka HJRSALMI

Inventor's Signature Ilkka Hjrsalmi Date August 16, 1999

Residence: City FIN-02140 Espoo Country Finland Citizenship Finland

Post Office Address Juraantie 3 A, FIN-02140 Espoo, Finland

NAME OF JOINT FOURTH INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle) Family Name or Surname

Pekka KOIVUKUINNAS

Inventor's Signature Pekka Koivukunnas Date AUGUST 13, 1999

Residence: City FIN-04430 Järvenpää Country Finland Citizenship Finland

Post Office Address Kauhavankuja 5, FIN-04430 Järvenpää, Finland

NAME OF FIFTH JOINT INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle) Family Name or Surname

Tapio MÄENPÄÄ

Inventor's Signature Tapio Mäenpää Date August 16, 1999

Residence: City FIN-00970 Helsinki Country Finland Citizenship Finland

Post Office Address Naulakalliontie 6 A, FIN-00970 Helsinki, Finland

NAME OF SIXTH JOINT INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle) Family Name or Surname

Erkki LEINONENInventor's Signature Erkki Leinonen Date August 13, 1999Residence: City FIN-04400 Järvenpää Country Finland Citizenship FinlandPost Office Address Kasvitarhankatu 1, FIN-04400 Järvenpää, Finland

NAME OF SEVENTH INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle) Family Name or Surname

Pekka KIVIOJAInventor's Signature Pekka Kivioja Date August 11, 1999Residence: City FIN-40950 Muurame Country Finland Citizenship FinlandPost Office Address Vainiontie 15, FIN-40950 Muurame, Finland

NAME OF EIGHT JOINT INVENTOR:

Given Name (first and middle) Family Name or Surname

Juha EHROLAInventor's Signature Juha Ehrola Date August 10, 1999Residence: City FIN-40800 Vaajakoski Country Finland Citizenship FinlandPost Office Address Kotämäentie 7 B, FIN-40800 Vaajakoski, Finland